METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. Bar. Ther Wind. Rain Weather 30.07 77 N.E. — Clear. 30.04 84 8. — Coudy. 30.05 77 8.E. — Clear. Bainfall, 0.04 inches, R. T. DABNEY, Private Sig. Corps, U. S. A. WEATHER OBSERVATIONS. WAR DEP'T, SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY, THURSDAY, July 31, 1879, 10:08 p.m. Sar. Ther. Wind.

B. T. DABNEY, Private Signal Corps, U. S. A. THE SITEATION.

The list of new cases reported yesterday shows a decrease of tour from the previous lay's report, while the deaths number four from rellow-fever and two from other causes. The disease continues to spread among the colored people, though the number yesterday reported falls off from the preportionate ratio with the whites, as reported on the day previous. Altogether, the situation is not can assign no cause beyond the prediction that the disease would linger with us until it ran its course or was killed out by the early monished that the number of new cases would cause-to-day, none; to-morrow, many; the next day a few, and so on-a week perhaps intervening without a single case being reported. We find consolation in the fact already apparent, that most of the deaths occurring are caused by either imprudent acts of the patients or negligence of the nursee, and not from lack of ability of the physicians to cope with the disease. It is almost the universal opinion of the medical traternity that the present form of the disease yields readily to treatment. Another consolation is found in the fact that but few cases appear outside of the two localities-Clay street in South Memphis and Bradford street in North Memphis-recognized

"THE off-recurring quistion, 'Can the fever be penned up in Memphis?' remains without a satisfactory answer." This, from the Washington Post is chipped in order that we may disabase the mind of the editors of of the Taxing-District. It is not intended to

Two irregularities of the incoming mails as a source of great annoyance, which it apaffairs of this district. It is not uncommon to receive two and three days dates of papers from St. Louis, Cincinnati, Louisville, etc., NEW ORLEANS begins to feel the effects of

by various important commercial points, and says there is no need for alarm about the fever in that city. At the same time her own citizens are leaving as fast us they can get

THE Cincinnati cotton exchange yesterday adopted a resolution protesting against the proposed change of the meeting of the National cotton exchange from St. Louis to

MES, DORSEL'S WILL.

The Talk of Colonel Percy Ellis Contesting the Bequest of Jefferson Davis's Benefactor-Lawyers Afraid of the Case.

special to the Louisville Courier-Journal.] NEW YORK, July 29 .- The only trouble onnected with the contest of Mrs. Sarah A. Dorsey's will, by which Jefferson Davis comes nto possession of a quarter of a million of ollars and Mrs. Dorsey's various relatives traveled it can be successfully met in its early get nothing, is that there is no money to set Colonel S. Percy Eilis, who probably would be better known to his old acquaintances if it were not parted in the middie, but was written plain Stephen Ellis, hasn't any money. Mrs. Inez Beckham, who ives in Tensas parish, Louisiana, is likewise of Mrs. Appoline Ellis, the widow of aomas LaRoche Ettis, who was killed in has issued an address to all Memphians, at he Confederate service, is dependent upon home or abroad, urging them to put their position in the Pailadelphia postoffice, which her uncle, General Meade, obtained its present trouble, if possible, without neceslorsey, are likewise impecunious. General having charge of affairs in the afflicted city which they could hope to break the will. Mr. Eilis alleges the promises made by Samuel Dorsey before his death that an income should be provided for his (Eilis's) children, and the request he made of his wife to take care of them. Another ground alleged is on to the city. The officers of this boat complaint very bitterly of the discriminations which they claim have been made against that was subjected to the strong perand when it was subjected to the strong perand that the family of a nurse in the a sound and disposing mind capable of making a will. The other point relied upon is that Jefferson Davis exercised undue influence. Worried. All of this comment is caused by Mr. Elias being remote from his sister's surroundings, can not present adequate proof of this to attract a lawyer. An important witness to it, however, is Mortimer Dahlgren, now a resident of St. Louis, who spent a year or two at Beauvier attending to Mrs. Dorsey's interest. He went there, it is said, on the promise that his half sister would do something for him, but he left when he found that Lefferson Davis had supplanted every one.

Worried. All of this comment is caused by the passage of the steamer City of Helena, at four o'clock this morning, with a number of Many of these passage of the steamer City of Helena, at four o'clock this morning, with a number of Memphians on board. Many of these passage of the steamer City of Helena, at four o'clock this morning, with a number of Memphians on board. Many of these passage of the steamer City of Helena, at four o'clock this morning, with a number of Memphians on board. Many of these passage of the steamer City of Helena, at four o'clock this morning, with a number of Memphians on board. Many of these passage of the steamer City of Helena, at four o'clock this morning, with a number of Memphians on board. Many of these passage of the steamer City of Helena, at four o'clock this morning, with a number of Memphians on board. Many of these passage of the steamer City of Helena, at four o'clock this morning, with a number of Memphians on board. Many of these passage of the steamer City of Helena, at the poison at Memphis. It does not appear that there was any turther manifestation of the poison at Memphis. It does not appear that there was any turther manifestation of the poison at Memphis. It does not appear that there was any turther manifestation of the poison at Memphis. It does not appear that there was any turther manifestation of the poison at Memphis. It does not appear that there was any turther manifestation of the poison at Memphis. It does not appear that the poison at Memphis. It does not appear to be the facts, from Memphis appear to be the facts, from

THE FEVER ELSEWHERE.

More New Cases Discovered at New Orleans, Against which City Our Own Chattanooga has Closed her Gates-Several Fatal Cases in New York City and

Caire Revises her Quarantine Code-The Commercial Interests of New Orleans in Jeopardy-Dr. Choppin Thinks the Disease will Not Become Epidemic-News by Mail.

CHATTANOOGA, July 31 .- This city quarantined against New Orleans to-day. More New Cases in New Orleans, NEW ORLEANS, July 31 .- One case is reported at quarantine station and two suspicious cases of children on Washington street. Fatal Cases in New York Quarantine. NEW YORK, July 31, -- Bartholomew M'-Keon, fireman of the steamer Merida, from lavana, died this morning. O. F. Keith, barber of the steamer Saratoga, died last night. One patient still in the hospital,

Another Fatel Case in New York. NEW YORK, July 31 .- A woman named Maggie Cregan, a patient at the Presbyterian hospital, died Tuesday, it is said, with all the symptoms of yellow-lever. She reached here on the second of July, on the vessel Wallace, increase and diminish without any apparent which was detained at quarantine a few days New Orleans Complains of Quarabtine

Regulations. NEW ORLEANS, July 31 .- The board of

as infected districts. For the twenty-four hours ending ax o'clock last evening nine new cases were reported and four deaths.

This makes a total since July 10th (the date south will be permitted to land only at the course realized wharfboat at the ports. of the announcement of the first case) of two hundred and four cases of yellow-fever, and fifty-nine deaths. The new cases embrace five white and four coloreds. An increase in the number of new cases may be expected in today's reports, as we learn that physicians in the northern infected districts discovered yesthe northern infected districts discovered yes- good. The following explains itself: "As a terday a number of cases of yellow-fever of sev-eral days existence who have had no medical travelers would do well to provide themselves attention. It is natural to suppose also that from whence they come is infected with yelthe death rate will be correspondingly in- low-fever or not.

w-fever or not. JOHN H. ROUCH, "Secretary Santtary Council Mississippi Valley." BY MAIL.

merity to advocate the only solution possible | morning he was again arrested, fined fifty of the problem at Memphis, I venture it. that paper as to the efforts of the authorities | There are only two agents capable of dealing | out of the city. Mr. Robert Brown, jr., was effectually with a plague spot of such dimen- fined ten dollars for harboring the atoresaid "pen op" the disease in Memphis. The system of quarantine importatively in operation of bedding and personal apparel could be have sions. If every inch of ground, every nook | individual, and has appealed to the sommon against Memphis would not pen up anything, simultaneously drenched with some powerbut works a deal of annoyance and trouble without compensating results. Our authoriwithout compensating results. Our authoriters, then in one day Memphis would be puties are bent on starving out the disease if rified. But this plan is impossible, from the that end can be obtained by removing the fact that this completeness must depend alpeople from the city. To this end all the energies of the city government are employed, and we are glad to note already its beneficial agent. But there is one plan even more effects, Norwithstanding the fact that President
Porter has positively declared that the camps

Rectal, and that will depend upon the exercise of authority by the proper parties for the common good. That method is fire. Let Memphis burn. These intitious poison germs will yield to intense heat. Cold will will not be under military surveillance, the not kill; it only keeps in abeyance. Yellowpreamble of the resolutions adopted at the York has suffered worse than Memphis. High meeting of colored citizens yesterday assumes latitude or altitude above sea level that such will be the case, and urges that as is not protection against infectious diseases in an objection to the needy colored people virulent epidemic form. Thousands have being sent to camps. It forcibly reminds us died in the heart of an intelese Russian winof the old adage that 'none are so deaf as ter from cholera when it had made its lodgment good in the foul huts of her peasantry. The great fire of London unquestionably destroyed the last germs of the 'great plague' before it had run its course. Russia this last season arrested its march by burning whole districts. The great fear is that Memphis pears could by remedied without much from her local conditions, has since last sumtrouble to the official in charge of the postal | mer formed a natural habitat for this human destroyer, to be not only devastated yearly herself, but, still worse, to be a constant threat to the entire country. I have already explained how even the other side of the St. Lawrence is not necessarily safe. But you will naturally ask, how can you demand the the quarantine established against that city city? My answer is in the shape of another estion, or rather a series of questions: Is

question, or rather a series of questions: Is Memphis not bankrupt already? If this plague goes on this summer as it did last (and it certainly will) will she not be destroyed place was nearly vacant. Everything was in as a business point? Will not property be | fine order about the grounds, the people were worthless where to venture is death during the there in crowds, the preachers were fully preterm of her busy season? Will Memphis pared, and all propitious for a glerious meetpeople themselves be willing to repay the ing, when the alarm of yellow-fever came lavish generosity of the rest of the country by and the grounds that had so lately been retaining in the heart of the country, at the crowded became comparatively desolate. very center of the traffic, on its largest inland A SENSATIONALIST CREATES A STIR IN MONTwatercourse, a plague that yearly shall para-lyze the industries of one of the most impor-

tant sections of the country? Will Memphis willingly be a leper to yearly threaten the ives of all that have intercourse with her ather than be cleansed, even though by fire? My plan is that the leading men in all sections shall call meating at the content of the content tions shall call meetings of its most respectable citizens; that they demand of the President that he call an immediate extra session of congress; that they instruct the representatives of the people to direct the executive o remove all persons and destroy all property by fire in the city of Memphis. The intense heat of the conflagration will destroy every was that this negro, when told he had better vestige of the poison lgerm in every hollow and on every hight. Where it has already stages by prompt action of our National and local boards of health. It can thus be extirpated from the country and kept out." GOOD ADVICE FROM AN UNEXPECTED SOURCE. Cleveland (Ohio) Herald: "The executive committee of the Memphis board of health | Our quaranties system is so effective that per-

shoulder to the wheel and carry the city over for her, and the sons of General Charles sitating an appeal to the country. It is only ing but harm."
G. Dahlgren, who are half-brothers of Mrs. natural that such public-spirited men as those Dahlgren, once worth seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars, is an aged and poor man, living by such law practice as in his limited acquaintance he can obtain, and, although he is not interested in the content, except to the is not interested in the content, except to the day, of content of the twenty-first instant.

The Bluff city insurance company to the analysis of content of this large columns to a report of his lecture in Philharmonic hall, in that city, on the bright side of the standard of the world that Memphis can carry her own burdens until they get beyond human endurance and is not an idle beggar willing are concerned, may be imagined from a relative to the twenty-first instant.

The Bluff city insurance company to the standard of the standard that others should do the work that it is her extent of the welfare of his sons, who were the children of Mrs. Dorsey's mother, he would contribute liberally had he his old-time fortune, as he bears a cordial dislike for Jufferson Davis, who he claims grossly mismanged the cause of the southern Consmanged the cause of the southern Consmanged the cause of the southern Consmanged the cause of a contagent fee. Several law-yers have already refused to touch it on the ground that there is no legal evidence by which they could hope to break the will. Mr. Elis alleges the promises made by Samuel Dorsey before his death that an income

of the two thousand five hundred refugees in the city not fifty per cent. have been examined nor has their baggage been fumigeted. The officers of the Hard Cash are not glone in their complaints, for the people on the Coahoma tell just the same story. The gentlemen in charge of quarantine, with every inclination to do their whole duty, are unable to go outside of their instructions, which are very explicit in stating what beats are to be stopped."

BROOKLYN, July 28.—There was some ex-itement in this city to-day over the discovery

citement in this city to-day over the discovery of the arrival of a party of references from Memphis. They had taken up their abode in a large tenement-house, which was fumigated by the health officers, and the trunks of the party taken away. The names of the refugees are Miss Susan M'Carty, John Roper and his five children, Annie, John ames, Bernard and Wilham, and his nephew James Roper, whose parents died of the lever last summer in Metaphis. The neighborhood of the house is filled with large tenement-houses. The party left South Memphis Friday, July 18th, and have been in Brooklyn several days. Their infected clothing has been burned and the cinders buried. Iswen burned and the cinders buried. hawrence Cunningham, a young man, resident of Collierville, thirty miles from Memphis, is also here. He is out on the streets, and shows o signs of illness. When the health officers discovered that he was a refugee, the pre-mises where he lives and his clothing were disinfected. The other party, with one exception, left for Washington before they could be stopped by the health officers. AID READY FOR MEMPHIS IN NECESSARY. Atlanta Constitution, 29th: "The announcement of the Howard association of Memphis to the effect that they do not need outside assistance, and that they will not hereafter accept the services of unaudilimated persons, either as physicians or as nurses, is a gratifying assurance that the condition of

affairs in Memphis is not as gloomy and as hopeless as some of the reports from that city would have us believe. It is plain, moreover, New Orleans, July \$1.—The board of health has adopted resolutions deprecating the enactment of the severe quarantine regulations against this city, expressing the opinion that there is no reason for alarm, and hoping that soon the places and citizens who have, through great prudence, put up their quarantine bars, will feel it to be in their power to take them down, and to allow the business of the country to proceed where it business of the country to proceed where it can do so without any real danger to the public bealth.

Dr. Choppin says that there is no fear of conditions and the second conditions and the second conditions and the second conditions and the second conditions are second conditions. The second conditions are second conditions and the second conditions are second conditions. into camp near the city, so that, as far as Catro's Revised Quarantine Regula-discipline is concerned, Memphis appears to the in as wholesome a condition as ever. CATRO, July 31.—The local board of health should be remembered, however, that if the

DOCTOR PAYS DEARLY FOR BREAKING FAITH WITH QUARANTINE OFFICIALS. Lackson (Tenn.) Whig and Tribune, 29th:

"Dr. Grant, a brother-in-law of Robert Brown, jr., of this city, was arrested Saturday for violating quarantine regulations and corted to the picket-line he gave his word to the officers in charge that he would leave the city without being guarded out, and as soon as Raying Cincinnatian: "Either no one has word and reappeared at his brother-in-law's Mrs. Thomas was murdered by a man named hought of it, or else no one has had the te- home, where he remained all night. Sunday

NEW YORK CITIZENS UNEASY.

Special to the houtsville Courier-Journal. New York, July 29.—A perfect espionage has been adopted here toward refugees from Memphis, and a fugitive from the plague is likely to have his clothes taken from him by the board of health and destroyed or tumigated. New York and Brooklyn, the latter more than the former, are nervous over the approach of any form of the disease, or of anything that may contain its germs. Postmaster James has begun to disinfect the mails by ordinary disinfectants. The board of health favored an oven to be kept at a temperature of about three hundred degrees in which the mail matter should be baked. but this proved impracticable, as much sealheat would melt this, and would also crack the gum. As there are about eighty tons of mail matter received daily, the baking would require too large an oven. It is thought that the mail matter, if subjected to the fumes of carbolic acid or chloride of lime, or of burning sulphur, will be thoroughly disinfected. Very little danger is apprehended from this source. A stricter quarantine has been established toward Havana vessels. Every man on board must be accounted for at quar-antine, and every officer on board after the vessel reaches the port must report daily, as well as every member of the crew his state of health. Those who are to be discharged will have some of their pay withheld so that they will not fail to report back. A CAMP-MEETING BROKEN UP BY A YELLOW-

FEVER ALARMIST. The Mobile News learns from a letter that

GOMERY, ALA-Montgomery Advertiser and Mail: "This is a period when no person should be guilty community, and there is no telling the immense amount of harm they do us. On Saturday night at a late hour, and after Mayor Muses had retired, he was called up by some police officers, who had been informed that a negro from Memphis was in the city asking get out of the city, remarked that there were various others also from Memphis in the city. Mayor Moses had a searching investigation made as to this report, only to find that it was untrue, and he is daily harassed by reports of this character. No doubt they are put in circulation by persons who hope to gain something by a panic in this city, but they can never accomplish their purpose. ter the city. Let us again warn all persons to abstain from circulating sensational stories

about yellow fever, for they accomplish noth-Houston (Texas) Telegram, 27th: "How

Jefferson Davis had supplanted every one cise in Mrs. Dorsey's affections, and that Mr. Davis was virtually director of the place.

City of Helena as she went by, was in Mem-The contestants feel very bitter toward the carpendate of the Confederacy, and they profess to know, and which they say that they believe Jefferson Davis would rather not have disclosed, even though he had to compromise to provent it.

City of Helena as she went by, was in Memphis when they passed. Among other passengers on the Helena are the wives of the Chicago News, 28th: "As we predicted some time since, there are numerous complaints of sickness from sewer-gas poisoning. Now, this poisoning from sewer-gas is one of the most dangerous and deadly in its kind and character. It affects the blood, and discorptions to provent it.

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stopped."

MEMPHIS REFUGEES MUST MOVE ON FROM BROOKLYN.

Special to the Washington Post.]

BROOKLYN, July 28.—There was some excitement in this city to-day over the discovery of flooding the sewers by steam-engines, located in the three divisions of the city, will need to be adopted. This would produce a circulation in the sewers which would prevent the creation of these deadly gases, against the effects of which, in the human system, there appears to be no medicine which avails anything in the direction of a EIGHT CASES IN NEW ORLEANS.

Special to the Cincinnati Gazette.1 NEW ORLEANS, July 29 .- The excitement here is at a certain hight, but could not be construed into a panic. Those who have the means to spare, and have not had the fever, are leaving the city. The trains and steam-boats leave this evening crowded with passengers. A new case was reported at the board of health this morning. The patient is a three-year old child residing at No. 105 Bourbon street, a crowded locality. It is an aggravated case. The child has had the black vomit for two days, and the physicians state she cannot live. Investigation showed that the child arrived with its parents from France last January, went to Morgan City in April, and took the fever at the latter place several days ago, and was brought to the city last Sanday. The last case which was reported this evening at the health office was a four and a half year old child, residing on Third street, between Magazine and Camp. The case was reported by Dr. Bickham, the attending physician Dr. White, medical director of the sanitary association, has reported there has research relief there has researched. ported three new cases of yellow-fever in the same neighborhood where the Italian girl died on Monday, making six cases in that neighborhood. This makes eight cases of fever to date, out of twinch only four are reported at the based of health. It is nearly in the case of the little ported at the board of health. It is general; believed, although it is a fine of one hundred dollars for physicians not to report their cases, that they are holding back. The Spano family were removed by the board of health to Camp Parapet, above the city, and are being kept under surveillance by sanitary officers. No one is allowed to go near the house.

A WOMAN HANGED.

John Bull; Having no Tender Side for the Fair Sex, Shows Katie Webster no Mercy-She Confesses her Horrible Crime.

London, July 29.—Kate Webster wa hanged to-day at Wandsworth prison. Sh confessed her crime, and declared that she had no accomplice either in its commission or rested in Ireland, on March 28th, for the mur der, near Richmond, of her mistress, Mrs ordered to leave the city: While being es- Terrace, Barnes, on March 5th. The head Church while she was temporarily absent. On her return to the house, Church, by threats, dollars, which he secured, and was marched compelled her to sileace, and to help him to dispose of the body and remove the valuables. Everything except the furniture had been taken away from the house, and they had a wagon at the door to take away the furniture also, when the landlady residing next door interfered, and inquired where Mrs. Thomas was. Thereupon Webster decamped to Ireland, agreeing with Church that they would go to America together as toon as he was ready. Church is the keeper of a beerhouse at Hammersmith, a man of famly and previously of good character. Prior to his arrest, which was effected after Webster's statement, he had given the police all the aid and information he possessed about Webster's behavior and wher-abouts. The circumstances under which Webster made away with the body of Mrs. Thomas indicated that her charge again t Church was partly or wholly false. Subsequent examination, after remand, led to the release of Church, and a grand jury returned a true bul against the up on the second of July before Justice Denman. The depositions were sent to this judge in the latter part of June, and special arrangements were made for trying the case. itor-general, Mr. Poland, and Mr. A. I Smith, but no special counsel was retained to

lefend the prisoner. DR. TALHAGE, IN ENGLAND.

Differing Opinions Concerning Him-Some Admire and Some Blame, but he Looks on the Bright Side of Things.

New York Herald, 27th: "The great ovaion given to Dr. Talmage in Liverpool and the stampede at the Seashore camp ground London has not been free from drawbacks. left only ten families on the ground, and all The London correspondent of the Christian condon has not been free from drawbacks. there will make him many new and true friends, opinions concerning him differ as much there as they do here. Some Presbyterian ministers say they would not admit him to their pulpits, and it is quoted as evidence of their disapproval that he has preached only in one Presbyterian church in Lon-But a better reason lies in the fact that the twenty thousand people who crowded into Agricultural hall to hear him of the indiscretion (to use no harsher word) could not find room in any church in that of circulating false and sensational reports city. And the correspondent of the Advocould not find room in any church in that ple were shut out entirely at the first service he held in London. Indeed, the desire to hear him is so great that it has been found necessary to charge one, two and three shilings sterling for seats. The Evening Echo editorially advises Dr. Talmage to keep quiet and rest in retirement. But it might as well give such advice to Niagara. It is not the great preacher's way to rest in retirement.
The Christian World goes further,
and blames him for seeking publicity in the face of the late Presbyterian trial and its outcome. But those who were nearest to that trial in Brooklyn acquitted him of the charges laid againt him, and pub lic opinion, as well as common justice and fairness, bave condemned his prosecutors for the means they adopted before the trial and Our quarantiee system is so effective that persons from infected places cannot possibly envirtually on trial until the matter in controversy is properly settled and he will find no welcome in the circles in which alone a wel come will do him any good.

THE BRIGHT SIDE OF THINGS The Liverpool Protestant Standard devotes christians who look as if their religion didn' agree with them-as if they had swallowed it crosswise. And as he told of the man

ward the liquidation of the tabernacle debt.

COLLISION OF CLOUDS At Wooster, Ohlo The Streets of the Town Tarmed into Blvers-Culverts, Bridges, Fences, Outhouses, Live Stock and Other Property Swept Away.

WOOSTER, O., July 29.—The heaviest rainstorm eyer known visited Wooster this evening, rain falling from six o'clock until seven in perfect torrents. The water rushed down Market and Beaver streets four feet deep, from Bowman street south to and beyond the railroad, carrying everything before it. Cows and pigs were swept away by the flood. On East Liberty street the water floo the residence of a man named Schaff, and the residence of a man named Schaff, and the family were rescued by ladders.

At the corner of Beaver and East Liberty streets the water was backed up three hun-dred feet wide, running through houses and lots. From East Liberty the water rushed through cellars and yards and down Beaver street in a perfect torrent, filling houses waist deen.

On South street people were rescued from the residence of Charles Baker by passing over the shoulders of men and on ladders.

A house occupied by Mrs. Avery Powers suffered considerable damage, and was nearly carried away by the torrent.

The water rushed down to Henry street, sweeping away fences, outbuildings and doing great damage to dwelling-houses. The water there formed a small lake and was three feet. here formed a small lake, and was three feet

deep in the streets.
On Henry street the water did considerable damage to the property of William Johnson, moving his barn from its foundation and fill-Beyond the railroad, the damage done was mmense. The large stone culvert at the foot of Pittsburg avenue was swept away. The flood backed through the dam of the railroad pond across East South street, carrying away another large stone culvert down the valley, flooding the gashouse shoulder deep. The damage done here cannot be as-certained, but was immense. Christmas run; on the west side of the city, presented the appearance of an immense river as the water came tearing down, sweep-ing bridges and fences. Several railroad culverts are reported washed down between here and the summit,

ran high all the evening, as several children were reported missing, but have since turned were at work in their fields during the storm, and witnessed a strange sight—two black clouds approaching each other, which as they met, burst and the floods fell. The amount of damage cannot be ascertained to-night, but is very large. Telegraph com-munication is cut off from the east by the

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THE GREAT SKIN OURE. Infallibly Cures. Cuticura, assisted by Cuticura Soap, is earnes believed to be the only positive Specific Remedy if the cure of Sals Rheum or Eczema, Ringworm, T. tet. Pushes, China Whelk, Psoriasis, Pemphigi Impeligo, Leprosy, Lichen, Prurigo, Itch. Grou Itch. Barber's Itch. Jackson's Rch. Rough as Cracked Skins, and all Vesicular and Scaly Erutions and Irritations of the Skin; Scald Head, Dadruff, Dry. Thin and Falling Hair, Premature Balness, and all Scaly Frupcions. Itchings and Irritations of the Scalp; Scrofulous Ulcers, Sores, and Discharging Wounds; Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Scald Burns, Itching Piles, Pain and Inflammation; Rhemalism and Affections of the Muscles and Joint Sore Throat, Diptheria Croup, and Hearseness, all cases of Blood and Skin Humors, the Cutter Resolvent should be taken internally until some tin Resolvent should be taken internally until some after a cure is effected.

SKIN DISEASES.

A Severe Case of Five Years Duration Entirely Cured. MESSES. WEERS & POITER—Gentlemen: For the benefit of the world I wish to make this statement: have been afflicted with a skin disease for about two years, and have tried almost everything that I could hear of, without any relief whatever, until I saw your Cuticura Remedies advertised, and concluded to try them. saw your Cultoura Remedies activities to try them.

I certify that I only used them about six weeks until I was entirely well, but before I commenced using them, my face, breast, and back were almost a solid scab, and I often scratched the blood from my body. I am now entirely well and think your Outleura Remedies are the best for skin diseases that ever was brought before the public. Very gratefully yours.

F. M. FOX.

SALT RHEUM.

Caddo, Ind. Ter., February 21, 1879.

Helpless for Eight Years-Unable to Walk-Got About on Hands and Kuees-A Wonderful Cure. MESSES. WEERS & POTTER—Gentlemen: I have had a most wonderful cure of Salt Rheum. For seventeen years I suffered with Salt Rheum: I had it on my head, face, neck, arms and legs. I was not able to walk, only on my hands and knees, for one year. I have not been able to help myself for eight years, I tried hundreds of remedies; not one had the least effect. The doctors said my case was incurable. So my parents tried everything that came along. I saw your advertisement and concluded to try Cuticura Remedies. The first box of Cuticura brought the Humor to the surface of my skin. It would drop off as it came out, until now I am entirely well. All I can say is, I thank you most heartly for my cure. Any person who thinks this letter a fraud, let them write or come and see me and find out for themselves. Yours truly, WILL M'DONALD.

CUTICURA SOAP.

Medicinal and Tollet, Is prepared from Cuticura in a modified form, and is positively indispensable in the treatment of Skin and Scalp Diseases. We recommend it for the preservation of the Skins of Infants, for gentlemen who shave and are troubled with tender faces, for those who desire a clean and wholesome Skin and Scalp, and for all purposes of the tollet, bath, and nursery.

The Outicura Remedies are prepared by Weeks & Potter, Chemists and Druggists. 360 Washington street, Boston, and for sale by all Druggists. Price of Outicura, small boxes, 59 cents; large boxes, \$1. Resolvent, \$1 per bottle. Outicura Soap, 25 cents per cake; by mall, 30 cents, three cakes, 75 cents. VOLTAC These Plasters put new life into the Weak and Sleepy VOLTAC ELECTRIC Muscles, strengthen the Lame and Painful Back, draw Inflamation from the Liver and Kidneys, stimulate the Stomach and Bowels, and when placed over the pit of the Stomach, cure Drysepsia, Indigestion, and Billious Colic, prevent Ague, Malaria, and other diseases. Get the genuine.

I. O. O. F. BANNER LODGE, No. 147—The officers and members of this lodge in the city are hereby specially requested to attend a regular meeting this (FBI-DAY) afternoon, at 5 o'clock, instead of at night By order J. F. DAVIDSON, V.G. J. H. EHEPHERD, Secretary.

Knights of Pythias. OFFICE of Relief Committee of Knights of Pythias is located No. 312 Main street, corner of Monroe, where all applications of worthy brothers will receive prompt attention. Brothers in the city are requested to call and register their names and residence. A. D. LANGSTAFF, Chairman.

to me at TULLAHOMA, TENN., will receive prom attention. W. H. MOORE, Secretary

R. L. Cochran & Co. MANUFACTURERS OF LUMBER, LATH AND SHINGLES WILL BEMAIN OPEN DURING THE SUMMER, prompt attention to all orders.

FURSTENHEIM & WELLFORD. OUR STORE WILL BE OPEN DURING THE fever. Our customers will be supplied from here or St. Louis, as they prefer. Letters addressed to Memphis. FURSTENHEIM & WELLFORD.

COUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE R. R. CO., SUP'T OFFICE, Memphis, July 24, 1879. The promise of the pro NOTICE.

A PROMINENT DRUGGIST.

FEBRIFUGE RESCUED FROM DEATH.

FEBRIFUGE HIS OWN WORDS. BOCKDALE, TRIAS, Feb'y 6th, 1879.

I hereby take pleasure in certifying to the efficiency of Clifford's Febrituge which I have used in my family, and find it every thing claimed for it by the proprietor, and superior to any I have ever used.

DAVID 8. HARRISS.

FEBRIFUGE PONTIAC, Mich., July 5, 1878

I have taken two bottles of Clifford's Febrin
and will not hesitate to say that it is the best me
cine for what it is recommended that can be used
H.C. LINABURY

FEBRIFUGE TO ANY AND ALL.

HAVANA, ILL., January 15th, 1870.

I hereby certify that my daughter was afflicted with Chills and Fever for fourteen months, and having used every thing I could hear of, found no relief until I was induced through the advice of some friends to use Clifford's Febrifuge which has entirely cured her, and I feel safe in recommending it to any and all who are afflicted in a like manner.

J. A. MCCORMICK.

J. C. RICHARDSON, - St. Louis. FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.

Notice to Shippers. MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE B. R. FREIGHT OFFICE, Memphis, July 20

ur til further notice, freight will be received on Mon day and Thursday of each week for stations on this road as far south as Garner's. Such freight must be accompanied by "permits" from local authorities prepaid, owner's risk, and railroad not responsible or any loss or damage occasioned by quarantine egulations. Freight received from 10 a.m. to P. O. WOOD, Agent. Notice.

OFFICE OF G. D. RAINE. AGENT,
MEMPHIS. July 27, 1879.

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BY order T. R. Cormick, Jr., G. M. W., all members of Bluff City, Johnson, Equity and Chickasaw Lodges A. O. U. W., are hereby ordered to forward at once to T. H. Everett, G. R., Nashville, all dues and assessments, until further notice.

By order SAM'L A. TAYLOR, D.G.M.W. Howard Association.

THE following Drug Stores have been selected where prescriptions for the destitute sick will be filled upon the order of the physician in charge. The Howard Association will not pay for any prescription filled elsewhere than as named below:

A. Benkert & Co., 120 Main street.

D. F. Goodyear, 167 Main street.

Joe Walters, 184 Main street.

W. C. Griswold & Co., 423 Main street.

M. H. Knox, corner Second and Greenlaw, Chelsea, James S. Robinson, corner Second and Madison.

Voorheis & Co., 186 Poplar street.

Hessen & Co., 220 Poplar street.

Hessen & Co., 128 Beale street.

Eathen & Kleinschmidt, 56 Beale street.

Monnier & Co., 189 Hernando street.

Safford & Co., 189 Hernando street.

R. H. Poilard, 352 Vance street.

Steel & Co., Carolina street. 10 Madison Street, July 29, 1879.

Steel & Co., Carolina street. T. BOANE WARING, Secretary A.O.U.W not yet paid assessments 6 and 7, should do once.

S. S. GARRETT,
Financier Equity Lodge, No. 20, A. O. U. KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

DIAMOND LODGE, No. 583—Members of lodge having falled to pay assessment No issued July 4th, are liable to be suspended fro benefits, if not attended to atonce. Assessment 58 is also due August 1st. Prompt payment in the payment of the payment of

A TJ. W. TIGHE & SON'S, 348 Front street, 20 dozen Chickens, Cornmeal, Potatoes and Navy Beans—all I can get at the market pile, as I am going to KEEP THE HOUSE OPEN. I had the fewer if 1878, and ain't afraid. Will pay each for every thing.

J. W. TIGHE & SON.

TAYLOR & ARNOLD () WING to prevalence of yellow-fever in Memphis we will open a branch office in ST. LOUIS, Mo No. 224 North Commercial street, where we will be pleased to receive orders from all our old patrons and the street. OUR HOUSE IN MEMPHIS

vill remain open as usual, under the supervision of . R. Grehan and L. Solari. Any orders sent telther house will be promptly attended to.

TAYLOR & ARNOLD. STURM & HIRSCH WILL BE AT Cincinnati, Ohio,

insurance.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

The Planters House, 301 AND 303 SECOND STREET—P. TWOHIG.
Proprietor. The above house will remain open throughout the summer. Good rooms; good table. Rates moderate. Meals by the week or day. STAUNTON, VIRGINIA. MISS MARY J. BALDWIN, Principal. The seed as in September, and close the corresponding time in June following. Terms—(For session of forty weeks, payable one-half on entering and the balance in February): Selection First—For board, Washing, fuel, lights. physician's fee, scat in church, callsthenics and full English course, including elocution and contingent fee, are \$250. For full particulars, apply to the principal for estalogues.

Dissolution.

THE firm of W. B. Galbreath & Co. is this day dis-solved by limitation; W. J. Crawford retiring. W. B. Galbreath and J. M. Fowlkes will continue w. B. Galdreath and J. M. Fowless will commuse the business as heretofore, under the same firm style and name, at No. 11 Union street, where, until further notice, Mr. Crawford can be found. Grateful for past favors, a continuance of the same is respectfully solicited.

W. B. Gal-BREATH, J. M. FOWLKES.

W. J. CRAWFORD, Memphis, Tenn., July 1, 1879. PRESCRIPTION PRESS. OR THE SPEEDY CURE of Seminal Weakne

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No 931 Beale street, Memphis. MEMBERS of the traternity needing reMembers of the traternity needing reMesonic Temple Building, second-story, or
of any officer of the Mesonic todges. Applications may also be left with N. W. Speers, Jr., 7
or 110 Vance street; A. Huhn, 53 Linden street
Ben K. Pullen, Sheriff's office or Union street at Members of the Members of Members of

All members of the Masonic fratern expect to remain in the city, are requested in their names and resicence to any member Relief Board. JOHN W. WAYNESBURG.

Tarrant's Seltzer Aperient.

OWING to prevalence of yellow-fever, we have temporarily closed our store in Memphie, and will, until further notice, fill all orders received for

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NOTICE. Louisville and Nashville R. R. Co.

Nos. 1 and 4 will be discontinued south of Clarks-ville. JAMES MONTGOMERY, Sup't. Knights of Pythias.

M EMBERS of Section No. 36 Endow ment Rank K, of P., will send me their address so that assessment notices can be sent them; also remit to pay assessments No. 21 in second class, due August 19th, and No. 8 in first class, due August 1st. The assessment cards, Nos. 8 and 21, will be sent, receipted, when remittance received. Address me at Columbus, Indiana.

W. H. ATKINSON, See'y and Treas. Chickasaw Iron Works

We do not expect to close.

RANDLE & LIVERMORE.

Memphis, July 26, 1879.

Insurance Notice. OFFICE OF THE MEMPHIS CITY FIRE
AND GENERAL INSURANCE CO.,
16 MADISON ST. Memphis, July 25, 1879.

All policies of insurance expiring in this company between this date and November 1, 1879, will be renewed, unless otherwise instructed. Communications addressed to me at HERNANDO, MISS., will reach me in due time, and receive prompt attention.

HENRY J. LYNN. Cashler.

J. M. TIGHE & CO. try. All orders will receive prompt attention. Our Me COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

To Policy-Holders.

quested to a dress CARRINGTON MASON, Secretary. Fourth National Bank MEMPHIS, TENS., July 19, 1879.

THIS bank having gone into liquidation, parties baving money deposited in it, or claims against it, will please call at the German National Bank for payment.

W. C. M'CLURE, Cashter.

H. DUW.

SCHOOLFIELD, HANAUER & CO. THE office of Schoolfield, Hanauer & Co. has been removed for the present to St. Louis, Mo, where our friends will please address us. All orders for supplies will be shipped from that place until further notice. SCHOOLFIELD, HANAUER α CO.

DURING the prevalence of fever at Memphis, we shall open an office in ST. LOUIS for the transaction of the Cotton Factorage and General Commission Business. All shipments of cotton will be rold to the best advantage, and orders for merchandise executed at the lowest rates. Will advance Surance in the Continental, Phoenix, Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Companies of North America, Royal Orient Mutual, and Knickerbocker Life Insurance Companies, should be addressed to Nashville.

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J. R. GODWIN & CO THE office of J. R. Godwin & Co will be kept open A member of the firm will stay at Bartlet Tenn., where communications should be sent to in

Important Order for A. O. U. W. BY request of the Grand Master Workman, T. R. cormack Jr., all members of the A. O. U. W. order in this city are earnestly requested to leave for a more healthy location until such time as the health officers shall ceem it safe for refugees to return. All members of the order not able to leave the city with their families, can get such assistance as will enable them to leave, by calling on

Sec'y G. L. Relief Board A. O. U. W. CLOSED—During the prevailing fever, and con tinuance of quarantine against commerce, we will close our house here and temporarily open an office in St. Louis, that we may more easily communicate with our customers and friends. For the present address us, care Fourth National Bank, St. Louis, Mo.

W. B. MALLORY & CO.

Memphis, July 28, 1879.

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521-523 Washington Avenue. St. Louis, Mo. WHERE THEY WILL OPEN WITH AN EXTIRE NEW STOCK. ORDERS intrusted to their care will receive prompt attention.

GOODBAR & COMPANY BOOTS AND SHOES,

18 South Fifth St., St. Louis, Mo.

We have shipped a large stock of goods from Boston to St. Louis, and will be pleased to meet our customers and the trade at large, in this market. All orders sent to us will receive prompt attention. All remittances, or other communications, must be addressed to us at St. Louis.

RICE, STIX & CO.

Wowing to the prevalence of fever at present in our midst, we would respectfully inform those who are desirops of communic ing with us that all letters addressed to Rice, Stix & Co. S. Louis. Mo, will receive prompt attention.

Our patrons and friends are fully assured that our facilities vill be ample for filling any and all orders intrusted to our car Our House at Memphis will REMAIN OPEN as usual an those of our customers residing along the line of roads not qu antined, we would respectfully solicit their patronage.

RICE, STIX & CO., 410-412 N. Fifth St., St. Louis, Mo

No. 280 Front Street

Grocery and Cotton Factorage Business

No. 116 North Commercial St. ST. LOUIS, July 28, 187 Ta order to be able to supply our customers in the cou quarantined against Memphis, we have opened a house in Louis, from which we can ship Groceries to any part of the

house will be closed till further notice. M. L. MEACHAM

OF BLACKBERRY ROOT. Dysentery, Acute and Chronic Diarrhoes, Flux, and all kindred diseases, far a other known remedy. It not only cures the disease, but strengthens the intest and invigorates the entire system. We do not claim it to cure every thing, but antee it to cure the diseases we name above. For children it has no equal, be and safe in its effects; and for females it is the best stre Can be taken at all times with perfect safety. For sale by all druggists

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